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There is one living and true God, eternally existing in three persons who are equal in every divine perfection, and who execute distinct but harmonious offices in the work of creation, providence, and redemption (Deuteronomy 6:4, Matthew 28:19, John 1:1-4, John 8, 1 John 5:7, 1 Peter 1:2).

**LCC Statement of Faith** 



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God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM. This is what you are to say to the Israelites: 'I AM has sent me to you.'"

God also said to Moses...

"Say to the Israelites, 'The LORD, the God of your fathers—the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac and the God of Jacob—has sent me to you.' This is my name forever, the name by which I am to be remembered from generation to generation.

**Exodus 3:14-15** 

#### Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one.

#### Shema Israel: YHWH elohenu, YHWH echad. Deuteronomy 6:4

For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace.

Isaiah 9:6

In all their distress he too was distressed, and the angel of his presence saved them. In his love and mercy he redeemed them; he lifted them up and carried them all the days of old. Yet they rebelled and grieved his Holy Spirit...



When all the people were being baptized, Jesus was baptized too. And as he was praying, heaven was opened and the Holy Spirit descended on him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven: "You are my Son, whom I love; with you I am well pleased."



#### "I tell you the truth," Jesus answered, "before Abraham was born, I am!"

**John 8:58** 

#### "We are not stoning you for any of these," replied the Jews, "but for blasphemy, because you, a mere man, claim to be God."

**John 10:33** 

Then Peter said, "Ananias, how is it that Satan has so filled your heart that you have lied to the Holy Spirit and have kept for yourself some of the money... You have not lied to men but to God."

Acts 5:3-4

#### Classical trinitarianism upholds that God is one <u>ESSENCE</u> and three <u>DEFSONS</u>.

... who have been chosen according to the foreknowledge of God the Father, through the sanctifying work of the Spirit, for obedience to Jesus Christ and sprinkling by his blood ...

**1 Peter 1:2** 

# You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.

**John 14:14** 

In that day you will no longer ask me anything. I tell you the truth, my Father will give you whatever you ask in my name.

**John 16:23** 

In the same way, the Spirit helps us in our weakness. We do not know what we ought to pray for, but the Spirit himself intercedes for us with groans that words cannot express... And he who searches our hearts knows the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit intercedes for the saints in accordance with God's will.

**Romans 8:26-27** 

My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have one who speaks to the Father in our defense—Jesus Christ, the Righteous One. He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.

#### **1 John 2:1-2**

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